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NOTIFICATION

The State Level Water Quality Review Committee (WQRC) has been reconstituted by the State Government vide Notification No.66/Home/2010 Dated 01.07.2010 for the purpose of protecting and monitoring the water quality in the State.

In order to strengthen the system of protection and monitoring of water quality, the State Government hereby constitutes the District Level Water Quality Review Committee (DLWQRC) consisting of the following members:-

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| 1. District collector | Chairperson |
| 2. Chief Medical Officer, Health Care, Human Services & Family Department | Member |
| 3. Divisional Engineer, Rural Management & Development Department | Member |
| 4. Divisional Engineer, Water Security & PHE Department | Member |
| 5. Divisional Engineer, Human Resource Development Department | Member |
| 6. Divisional Engineer, Urban Development & Housing Department | Member |
| 7. Divisional Engineer(Electrical),Energy & Power Department | Member |
| 8. Deputy Director, Food Security and Agriculture Development Department | Member |
| 9. Divisional Engineer, Tourism Department | Member |
| 10. Deputy Director, Science & Technology Department | Member |
| 11. Deputy Director, Commerce & Industries Department | Member |
| 12. Deputy Director, Minerals, Mines and Geology Department | Member |
| 13. A representative from ICAR, Tadong | Member |
| 14. A representative from Central Water Commission | Member |
| 15. A representative from State Pollution Control Board | Member |
| 16. Divisional Forest Officer, Forest Environment & WM Department | Member |
| 17. Divisional Engineer, Irrigation & Flood Control Department | Member Secretary |

The purview of the District Level Water Quality Review Committee shall be as under:-

- A. Status of Water Quality Problems and Management system**
 - a. Status of Domestic and Industrial Pollution
 - b. Ongoing Mitigation Measures
 - c. Proposed Remedial Measures
- B. Implementation of Uniform Monitoring Protocol**
 - a. Existing system of water quality monitoring
 - b. Gaps between present system vis-à-vis uniform monitoring protocol
 - c. Requirement/proposals for up gradation of water quality monitoring system.
- C. Training and Awareness Raising Program**
 - a. Details of agencies and programs organized/being organized
 - b. Need and proposals for such training in future.
- D. Water Quality Management Plan (WQMP)**
 - a. Proposals for criteria on water quality for rivers leaving the District/State
 - b. Details for proposals for funding through National Rivers Conservation Directorate(NRCD)
- E. District Level Quality Schemes**
 - a. Ongoing/Proposed schemes on water quality improvement
 - b. Ongoing/Proposed schemes for comprehensive mapping, identification and surveillance of water quality problem areas.
- F. To Identify/promote Research and Development Schemes**
 - a. Application of remote sensing and GIS for monitoring water quality changes, modeling etc.
- G. Any other relevant subject which needs attention at District level with regard to the water quality monitoring.**

By order and in the name of the Governor.

T.T.Dorji, IAS
Chief Secretary
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